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NOTE FOR: The Director

The Deputy Director

FROM : MG Atkeson

NIO/GPF

SUBJECT: Strategic Significance of Soviet

Power Projection Activities

The attached assessment is forwarded in response to your request of 11 March to the C/NIC. It has been coordinated with the NIC Chairman and the NIO's for Near East/South Asia, the East Asia, USSR-Eastern Europe, and Economics.

I would be happy to discuss it with you

should you desire.

Edward B. Atkeson

Attachment:

As stated is SECRET

DCI EXEC REG

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NOTE FOR:
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             DDCI
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Distribution:
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      1 - SA/DCI (w/att)
      1 - Exec. Reg. (w/att) —
      1 - NIO/GPF (w/att)
      1 - NIO/NESA (w/att)
      1 - NIO/EA (w/att)
      1 - NIO/Econ (w/att)
      1 - NIO/USSR-EE (w/att)
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      1 - DDI Reg. (wø/att)
1 - NIO/GPF File (w/att)
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